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SUBJECT: UN CAPITAL MASTER PLAN: GUIDANCE REQUESTED ON
MEMBER ASSESSMENTS

REF: A. USUN 2116
 B. USUN 2222
 C. SECSTATE 190201

¶1. ACTION REQUEST: The Secretary-General has recommended a financing methodology for the Capital Master Plan that would have Member States assessed over five years, in equal installments (ref A). The European Union (ref B) has proposed that, instead of five even assessments, assessments for the Capital Master Plan be roughly proportional to the expenditure required in those years. They have suggested a five year assessment, with the first year assessment equal to 10 percent, the second and third years at 25 percent, and the fourth and fifth years at 20 percent. USUN seeks guidance as to whether this proposal can be supported by the U.S. in any way, as support for this proposal may assist U.S. objectives in other areas.

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